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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of:

MAEDA, Kouichirou et al.

Group Art Unit: 1713

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Examiner: Robert D. HARLAN

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For: BINDER COMPOSITION FOR LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY  
ELECTRODES AND USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: January 6, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.